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## Union Jacks Win First Playoff Game

The Jacks took revenge on the Macleod Flyers in the first game of the Basketball Playoffs at Macleod Wednesday evening when they trounced the Macleod team 38-21 before a large gallery of fans. It was a good fast game from beginning to end, and while the Jacks held the lead most of the time, the game was never on ice until the final whistle.

The second game of the best two in three series will be played here tonight, and it should be a good one. The Flyers will put their all into this game as a loss will put them out of the running. The Jacks, on the other hand, will be taking no chances, as the Macleod boys are plenty speedy and not to be fooled with. We have it via the Grapevine (telegraph) that if the Jacks win this series, the Regina team will come to Raymond in the next round of the cross-Canada series. Are you going to be there tonight to root for the boys.

## Fathers And Sons Banquet

The Annual Fathers & Sons Banquet of the Raymond First Ward was held in the Stake Recreation Hall last Friday evening, March 12th, with about 125 seated at the supper tables. The enlisted members of the ward made a very decided difference in the attendance at this annual affair.

C. R. Wing of the First Ward Elshoprie was Chairman of the evening, and after the opening exercises, toasts were given to the King, to the Cooks, to the Dads and the Lads and a couple of hours spent in enjoyable conversation and stories, when the party closed and many of the of those present went to the Dance, sponsored by the local Air Cadets. A most enjoyable evening is reported by all who attended the banquet.

Frozen noses, fingers and also toes were not uncommon following the extreme cold dip in the thermometer Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Meldrum were bus passengers Thursday morning to Calgary for a few days.

## Air Cadets Dance Great Success

The dance last Friday night, in aid of the finances of the local Air Cadet Squadron was a success in every way. A very successful ticket sale had been put over beforehand, which guaranteed the success of the evening regardless of the many tickets sold at the door the night of the dance.

Cody's Seven furnished the music for the dance, and the large crowd thoroughly enjoyed the rhythm and melody of this fine band. A quilt, which had been donated to the cause was raffled off at 25c. for two tickets, and this was won by Mrs. Cody of the Orchestra, the funds from these tickets helping to swell the evening's total. Altogether it was a very successful evening and the funds of the Cadets received a substantial boost.

## Lions Meeting

Another interesting meeting of the Raymond Lions Club was held in the Sugar Bowl Monday March 15th with Pres. P. Moreland in the chair. "Oh Canada" was sung and prayer was offered by Lion L. D. King. Lion Andrew Walton was appointed Tail Twister for the evening. After Andrew had collected the fines he thought it was quite an education.

Lion L. D. King introduced D. A. Bennett as a visitor to the club. An old friend of Lion Phil Baker was also present.

Community singing was enjoyed by the assembly, the baton being in the hands of Lion Tam or Joe Strong.

Renon Pack then read a poem which Lion Herb Wilde had sent from Alaska where Herb is working. This was very amusing & was composed by Herb and some of the boys and was entitled "My First Trip to Alaska."

Lion Jack Judd who is about to leave Raymond made a few remarks of the pleasant times he had enjoyed while being a member of the Lions Club. The Club gave Jack the Lions Roar.

Lion L. Larson reported that practically all arrangements were completed for March 26 which is Leo's Night Out. Each member was given a number of tickets to sell for this entertainment.

Phil Baker then related some of his experiences during his trip to Ottawa and Vancouver saying that we were not living in the coldest place in Canada by a long way.

The meeting closed by singing the National Anthem.

Fieldmen of the Sugar Co. are busy now signing up the beet contracts for this year. Total acreage over the whole of the beet growing district has been boosted to 30,000 acres, a portion of which will, of course, be allotted here. They were in Magrath part of this week, and will soon be busy here. Added acreage is being given present growers in best instances.

HUGH BOYD



CBC Farm Broadcast Commentator for the Prairie Region who recently returned to Winnipeg from a tour of West ern cities where he made special arrangements, in co-operation with Western Poultry Associations, in connection with the recently concluded CBC series "More Eggs for Britain." Mr. Boyd's daily Prairie Farm Broadcasts begin at 1:30 p.m. CDT, 12:30 p.m. MDT are carried on Station CBK Watrous.

## Billion Dollar Social Security Plan For Canada

BELLION A YEAR FOR INSURANCES, BILLION FOR WORKS PROJECTS IN FIRST YEAR AFTER WAR

Ottawa, March 16—An integrated plan to assure every Canadian of a basic minimum income regardless of age, occupation, place of abode or sex—at an estimated cost of \$1,400,000,000 a year—was laid today before the special house of commons committee on social security.

Prepared by Dr. Leonard C. Marsh, research adviser to the government's advisory committee on reconstruction, headed by Dr. Cyril James, principal of McGill University, the report is on the general lines of the Beveridge plan for the United Kingdom, but it was drafted independently.

Pensions Minister Mackenzie at whose request the report was prepared, submitted it to the committee as a basis for discussion.

### DOUBLE-EDGED PLAN

The plan calls for national health insurance, revised unemployment insurance, child allowances, extended old-age and retirement pensions, and funeral grants.

It also proposes an outlay of a second \$1,000,000,000 during the first year after the war on works projects designed to fill the gap between demobilization and restoration of the national economy to a peace basis.

All this, the report says, can be done on half the present war-expanded federal budget.

Here are the main suggestions:

Establish children's allowances—payable in respect to every child regardless of family income of \$8 to \$9 a month, or on a graduated scale depending on age. This program to be coupled with abolition of present income-tax exemptions for

dependent children.

Increase the present benefits under unemployment insurance for workers with dependents to a figure 50 per cent above the benefits to single persons. (Benefits now range from \$4.08 and \$12.24 a week for single persons and \$4.80 and \$14.40 a week for married persons.)

Provide unemployment assistance to uninsured persons at about 10 per cent under the benefits paid under unemployment insurance.

Institute free medical care for all citizens.

Provide sickness benefits on a basis comparable to that of unemployment insurance.

Provide maternity benefits for employed women only, on the same basis.

Make no immediate change in workmen's compensation for industrial accidents.

Continue present noncontributory old-age pension on basis of need, with following changes:

Lower eligible age from 70 to 65 for men and to 60 for women; increase maximum pension from \$20 to \$30 a month; provide a premium for those postponing retirement later than the eligible age; Provide a stricter means test.

For all persons young enough to make a certain number of pension-fund contributions before retirement, institute a new contributory retirement pension, payable, regardless of need, at the same age levels, and at a rate of \$30 a month for an individual and \$15 extra for a married man.

Provide permanent disability pensions at the same \$30 and \$15 rates payable at earlier ages on proof of unemployability.

Provide survivors pensions for widows on the same scale as old-age pensions.

Pay funeral benefits at \$100 for adults, \$65 for juveniles and \$25 for children. —Leth. Herald.

## Good Cows Coming Late The District

### NEWS NOTES

Frank Taylor, Louis Brandley, Ellys Piepgrass and others were Lethbridge visitors on Tuesday last.

H. Tilston-Jones, Editor of the Garden City Times, Magrath, and Dr. Schreiber of that town were Raymond visitors Saturday last.

Miss June May spent the week-end in Cardston with her aunt Mrs. J. M. Workman and other relatives. She returned to Raymond Monday morning.

This is Sadie Hawkins week and some great sights have been seen on the way to school and other places as boys have appeared in girls togs and vice versa. Girls, in some instances have been paying show tickets and so on, but we couldn't get our Sadie Hawkins to do it.

### RELIEF SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING

The annual Relief Society organization date, March 17th, was observed this year last evening, March 18th. It was impossible to obtain the Opera House for Wednesday night, hence the change.

Both wards joined together and a most delightful evening was spent, the first part being a program, rehearsing the birth and aims and objects of the Relief Society, and the last half being spent in dancing. We will have a more detailed report for next week's paper, we hope.

### W. I. Meeting

The regular meeting of the Raymond W. I. was held on March 11 at the home of Mrs. Anna Woolley, which commenced at 2:30 p.m. Pres Mrs. Wm Lamb presided. After singing "O Canada" and giving Flag Salute, Mrs. Thos Allan led in repeating the creed. Roll call was answered by an Irish Joke, there being 18 members and 2 visitors present. The minutes of the meeting held in February were read and adopted. The President reported that Mrs. A. Winkler had finished two quilts these being handed in to the Red Cross. A letter from Mrs. Thos. Otto regarding District No. 4 conference to be held in Calgary March 17 and 18 was read. Vice Pres. Mrs. Ruby McMullen was chosen as delegate to the conference and in turn to choose another member to accompany her. The ladies of the Institute were thanked for flowers for funeral of Mrs. O. H. Snow.

A discussion was led by Mrs. Orrin Turner, regarding means for raising funds. It was decided to hold a whist drive and lunch at Easter. Mrs. Frank G. Hall reviewed lesson No. 1 from the Extension Department Service. "Consumers Problems in War Time". Be a victory planner. Mrs. Wm Lamb gave a paper on "Public Health." A committee was appointed to meet with the School Board and ask that children be vaccinated and inoculated for communicable diseases. The meeting closed by singing "God save the King." After which lunch was served by the hostesses Mrs. Woolley and Mrs. Ira McBride.

Several local dairymen were in the Lethbridge district Monday afternoon to the Auction Sale of Thom's Dairy Herd of Holsteins, and quite a number will come into this district following the sale to add to the quantity and quality of milk cows here.

Prices were high, but there were certainly a lot of lovely cows and heifers in the lot sold. Top price was \$325.00 for a fine cow, the foundation stock of the herd. One young cow brought \$197.50 and prices on the others ranged from \$125.00 for a young bull up to the \$197.50, two or three bringing \$195. Frank Koenen of Turin was Auctioneer.

Amongst those present from here were M. C. Vance, E. E. Jensen, Leonard Mahew, Henry Thomson, D. L. Paxman, E. L. Paxman, George and Howard Rasmussen, Louis Bradley, Art and Harold Garner, Wm. A. Anderson, S. J. May and others.

### Rotary Meeting

At Rotary meeting on Monday, Melvin T. King gave an interesting talk on juvenile delinquency and sent the Rotarians home with something to think about in respect to this growing tendency amongst the youth of the land, both boys and girls.

Next Monday the Club will meet at 6:30 in the Sugar Bowl with the Town Council when the idea of a Town Planning Commission will be discussed. Special guests at this meeting will be Mayor E. E. Elton, Engineer Jack Watson and A. Haynes of the City of Lethbridge Engineering Department. Every Rotarian is especially asked to be in attendance Monday night.

The Cheese Factory took in more than 3300 pounds of milk on Monday.

### WEATHER SNAPPY AGAIN

We wonder, if the weather man got mixed up in his dates. After cold snow all day Saturday Ways Piepgrass and others day with more snow, the thermometer got a dance going and went down to 15 or 18 below Sunday night being about 15 below at daylight Monday morning. It stayed cold most of the day, the sun warming things up at noon until in the shelter of spots where the sun shone it melted a little. Then Monday night she really took a nose dive and didn't stop until she hit 30 below according to local thermometers, the Experimental Farm at Lethbridge giving it as 27.8 that night.

It stayed cold all day Tuesday and was 24 below at 10:15 Tuesday night but at 6 a.m. Wednesday morning the temperature had risen to 4 below with a breeze from the west. At noon it was about 30 above. We hope it's the beginning of the end of the winter, which has been long and more than usually severe. Farmers state that it has taken an extra large amount of feed to maintain the weight of their feeder stock since this second series of cold storms set in, and range stock are feeling this as they have lost a lot of weight already, waiting for warmer days and green grass.

# War Savings Stamps are Always in Style



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S. J. MAY Editor.

### TEN YEARS FROM NOW

We were in conversation this week with one of our leading citizens, and he made this statement, "I do not claim to be a prophet, but I have lived sixty years, and I expect to see more changes in the next ten years in our civilization than I have seen in all my life."

This statement set us thinking about the years after the war. What sort of a sensible program of rehabilitation can be drafted? Can we see and plan far enough in the future to provide a place for the tens of thousands of men and women who will be demobilized, and who will have to have a place where they can provide themselves food, raiment and shelter?

We have millions of acres of land, suitable for agriculture and stock raising. But will they all want to be farmers? We have thousands of families who would like, and who need to demobilize an army of technicians and any program for their re-establishment must be the building trades? We have laid down with an eye to the thousands of towns and cities where parks, public improvements, paved streets, parks and so on are speed, precision and efficiency.

needed. But will they all enter to this type of work, and can they be used there? It really is a colossal problem?

The plan suggested to the Dominion parliament is a step in the right direction. When analyzed, it seems that even it leaves many questions of post-war Canada definitely unanswered. The billions of dollars now used for war will be needed just as badly for peace. The men and women now in the service and in prison camps will need feeding just as badly after the war as they do now. They will be at liberty then to earn their own if work, suitable for them can be found. This question should receive careful and painstaking study. We recall that after the last war, about the only plan for rehabilitation was farming. Many of our raised returned men tried farming. The fact that they did not succeed was not surprising. They were not raised on a farm, and while many think that anyone can be a success as a farmer, there is a fundamental training and a necessary love for the soil and for the livestock that goes with a farm, that needs to be there before anyone can succeed in any type of farming.

The future must be faced. Our men and women in the service must be gainfully employed and at work they enjoy and are fitted for. We are going to demobilize an army of technicians and any program for their re-establishment must be the building trades? We have laid down with an eye to the thousands of towns and cities where parks, public improvements, paved streets, parks and so on are speed, precision and efficiency.

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C.O. for 110 (Raymond) Squadron for the Week Ending Mar. 27th 1943.

Part 1. Administration  
Monday, March 22 1943.  
Administration 19:30-20:15 hrs  
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Dress: Cadet Uniforms.

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19:30 hrs at High School.  
Dress: Cadet Uniform.

Orderly Officer for W. E. Mar. 27 1943 — W.O.2 Barker, L.L.

Orderly N.C.O. for W. E. Mar. 17 1943 — A Sgt. Meldrum P.J.  
Issued by F. O. Jacobs, L. H.  
Adj for C.O. 110 Squadron.

### THE SEED HAS BEEN TRULY SOWN

Notes from Rewi Alley, organizer of Chinese Industrial Co-Operatives:

"There is a sentence which should be hung up over the desk of every official who enters the co-operative movement in order to pomote it. It should read 'You cannot command a man to co-operate' You cannot command a man to love one. You can, of course, so subdue him that he will obey your commands, but what the co-operator tries to build is the kind of human structure that will outlast the 'follow the leader' psychology of Fascism. It is almost as difficult for the old time official to pomote a real co-operative movement as it is for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle.

"The ordinary man has had to co-operate to survive. Give him the chance to get together with his fellows, the chance to better himself technically, the chance of getting capital, and he will seize it with both hands."

"Co-operation in industry has been tried. There are people who know it can succeed, given the freedom to do so. What has been done may be crushed, may disappear for a time, though I doubt it very much. Yet the seed has been truly sown and in its own time will bear fruit."  
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## CANADA FACES A WOOD-FUEL FAMINE NEXT WINTER

ARE YOU one of the Canadian householders who burned fences, doors, and even flooring to keep warm in this winter's sub-zero weather?

Or perhaps you are one of the lucky ones who just managed to scrape through?

In either case, you will want to be prepared for next winter when greater hardships loom unless you take immediate action.

The shortage already has affected many communities . . . total stocks of dry wood are nearly exhausted . . . in some places the small supply of green wood cut for next winter is being used now to meet the present emergency.

Throughout most of Canada, fuel-wood is obtained not far from where it is consumed. Its production and distribution are the business of local citizens.

The Dominion Government recognizes that the wood-fuel shortage is so serious that even with the full co-operation of everyone in affected communities an adequate supply is not assured. Accordingly, it has been decided to stimulate the output of wood-fuel by assisting those normally engaged in its production and distribution. To this end, the following measures will be adopted:

- 1 A subsidy of \$1.00 per cord will be paid to dealers on all commercial fuel-wood contracted for and cut on or before June 30, 1943, and held to dealers' account on that date.
- 2 The Coal Controller has been authorized to arrange in his discretion for the payment of such portion of the transportation costs as he considers proper in respect of fuel-wood, particularly in cases where dealers, to procure supplies, find it necessary to contract for fuel-wood at locations outside the area from which they normally derive their supplies. In order to obtain any such reimbursement, dealers must obtain a permit from the Coal Controller before contracting for such supplies.
- 3 The Coal Controller will repurchase from dealers at dealer's cost all commercial grades of fuel-wood on which a subsidy of \$1 per cord has been paid and which are still in dealers' hands as at May 31, 1944.
- 4 Assistance will be given in providing priorities for necessary equipment.
- 5 Farmers now on the farm, and who leave the farm temporarily in response to this appeal to engage in fuel-wood cutting, will be deemed by National Selective Service to be carrying out their regular occupation as farmers and will be given all the rights of deferment of military service which such an occupation now carries. Such temporary absence should not, however, interfere with agricultural production.

Municipal councils, farmers, fuel dealers, individual citizens, service clubs, and all other groups in communities where wood-fuel is burned, are urged to begin at once a rapid survey of their local situation, and to take immediate action to relieve the shortage.

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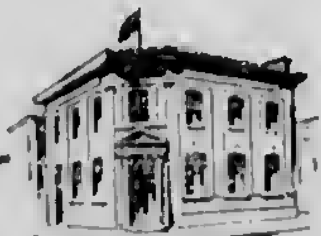
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## FARMHILL W. I. MEETING

The Farmhill Woman's Institute, held their regular monthly meeting on March 11th at the Provo School. Teacherage with Miss E. W. Duff and Miss Violet Johnson as joint hostesses. There were 15 members and 2 visitors present. The meeting opened by all repeating the Creed followed by singing "Oh Canada." The roll call was answered by "A Way to Improve Our School" and 9 members found it necessary to pay the 5c. fine for lack of the required roll call. An appeal was then read by the President for all members to support the present Red Cross Drive to their utmost. Mrs. Henderson was appointed to represent Farmhill at the Convention in Calgary. The War Work Report consisted of 3 seamens quilts, 1 tuckin, 1 hemlet sent the Navy League 1 quilt sent to Russian Relief. 7 quilts to the Red Cross, \$2.30 cash was taken in for aprons made and sold.

Plans were completed for the Tea and Apron Sale, that is to be held in the Gas Rooms, Lethbridge on March 25th. Mrs. Kincheloe gave two very good papers 1 on "Some of the Problems of our Schools Today," and the other on "Oddities in the News." Lesson No. 3 on Foods, at this time last year.

Health and Nutrition was read by Mrs. Mae Lash. \$3.90 was taken in on the Tea Prize which was won by Mrs. Hilda Razzalanie.

At the close of the meeting a mock Air Raid Siren was sounded by a young lady wearing an ARP armband and the guests were hustled into a ARP shelter to be met by a Nurse and more ARP workers, who escorted the group along black out corridors and finally into a lightly curtained, but brightly lit room. Here they were served a very novel and interesting lunch by the hostesses.

## FLOOR PRICES ESTABLISHED ON EGGS

As the result of contracts in effect between the British Ministry of Food and the Special Products Board of our Canadian Government, a floor has been established for Grade A and Grade B eggs, which is now pegged at its lowest level for 1943.

Based on deliveries to the Special Products Board prices now prevailing for eggs to the producer in Alberta are approximately three cents per dozen the higher for Grade A Large than for Grade B.

## Bach News Breaks



On Sunday March 14 at 9:15 p.m. CDT, 8:15 p.m. MDT, the 110g, of the CBC central news world premiere of a concerto room, something about the city by Carl Philipp Emanuel Bach circumstances which led to this was performed in the Concert Canadian radio performance of Studio of the CBC at Toronto Philipp Emanuel's long lost Wanda Landowska, the world's composition. Seven concerti in leading harpsichord virtuoso, all, will be heard in these Sun was the soloist for this out-day night concerts, and Mar- standing musical event. A ame Landowska will be present young Canadian violinist, Ad- to take part in all performan- olph Koldofsky, was instrumen- ces. The programmes can be tal in unearthing the manus- heard on Station CBK Watrous cripts from which the perfor- and other stations of the West mance and the ensuing series ern network. will be played. Here is Mr. Kol-

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## LETTER FROM BILLY MEHEW

March 10 1943

Dear Mother, Dad & Connie

Well, I got your letter today, was very glad to hear from you, and glad you are all well. Veri and I are fine. We both have slight colds, but I guess they will be better soon.

We haven't been doing very much around here. Today (this morning) we went to stores, I got a new uniform, new shirts, socks, underwear and etc. we were also issued a gas mask, gas protection cape and every thing to go with it. We even got a steel helmet, you certainly know what they are. Dad, they certainly are heavy, but maybe someday they might be come very handy, never can tell. All that stuff we got, we call it webbing. I don't know if you called it that or not.

This afternoon we spent two hours in the pressure chamber at a height of 35,000 feet. You



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stay up there for two whole hours. You must wear oxygen masks, you would pass out in less than a minute. There is no air up there. Its an endurance test to see how you can take high altitudes without getting pains in your joints. Veri and I haven't ever had any pains, maybe its because we are in good health, and don't smoke etc. Some of the boys get terrible pains in their legs and shoulders. Some of them go through a lot. They have to bring them down, and let them out of the chamber. Veri and I might still get our chance to fly fighter aircraft, we are both physically fit.

The other night (Monday) we went up town to see the place. It's sure a dirty city. I don't care for it very much. Did you Dad The town is filled with sailors. You see some of

them with beards about two inches long, they cannot shave them off without permission. Don't know just when we will be leaving, but if you don't hear from me, you will know why. As soon as I arrive we'll cable, Veri and I together. We'll send lots of letters telling you all about it. At this depot, you run into people that you met at Mann-Depot. It sure is good to see them all again. Well, there is a picture show on at the Station, so I will close for now.

All my Love

Bill

The names of Reginald Stevens and Emerson Tollestrup are amongst those recently accepted into the RCAF.

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